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[Despatch Abstract.]

~~Expressed classes - Court Hill Higher Elementary School, Mangalore -~~
Introduction of tailoring class - Proposal approved.

LABOUR DEPARTMENT.



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DEPRESSED CLASSES - Court Hill Higher Elementary School,
Mangalore - Introduction of tailoring class.

ENCLOSURES.

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A-2 No.5850/37.

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Station M A D R A S, Dated the 9th February 19 38.

From (Name) T. G. RUTHERFORD, ESQ., C.I.E., I.C.S.
(Designation) COMMISSIONER OF LABOUR.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

DEVELOPMENT Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose a copy of letter dated 7-10-37 received from the Honorary Secretary, the Depressed Classes Mission, Mangalore, together with copies of the letter of the Collector of South Kanara, No.D.Dis.5914/37 dated 23-12-37 and its enclosures and endorsement No.R.c. 65 G/38 dated 25-1-38 of the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

2 In G.O. No.1716 L., M.S., P.W. and L., dated 6-7-31, Government accorded standing sanction to the payment of a grant not exceeding Rs.1000/- annually to the Depressed

Mission, Mangalore towards the cost of maintaining the carpentry workshop attached to the Court Hill School. In the year 1934-35 both the carpentry workshop and the apprentice section attached to it crashed. Carpentry was allowed to be taught as a vocational subject. The management proposed to introduce weaving in addition as a vocational subject. The Government in G.O.No.Ms.1034 L, P.W. & L., dated 29-4-35 permitted the management to apply the grant sanctioned in the G.O.referred to above at their discretion for carpentry or weaving or both. (P)

3 The management now requests sanction for the introduction of a tailoring section in the Court Hill Elementary School. Without any additional grants and for the purchase of necessary equipments required for the tailoring class from the annual grant sanctioned to it. The Collector of South Kanara, the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, the District Educational Officer, South Kanara, and the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Mangalore, range support the proposal. The Advisor to Government on manual training alone is not in favour of the proposal.

4 Since no additional grant is asked for I support the proposal to open a tailoring class for the pupils of the Court Hill Higher Elementary School, Mangalore and to purchase necessary equipments required for the tailoring class and recommend that Government may be pleased to allow the management to defray the charges from the annual grant of Rs.1000/- sanctioned for manual training.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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for Commissioner of Labour.

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Copy of letter dated 7-10-37 from the Honorary Secretary, the Depressed Classes Mission, Mangalore, to the Commissioner of Labour, Madras, through the Collector of South Kanara, Mangalore.

For the past three years the Mission had arranged for a tailoring class for the pupils of the Court Hill Higher Elementary School with the kind help of the District Harijan Sevak Sangh. The classes were held in the evenings and were optional. From the experience gained, the Mission found it would be advantageous if the tailoring class formed part of the regular school work and it is taught as a pre-vocational subject. So as in the case of carpentry and weaving it has been introduced for Standard VI for two periods a day from June 1937. One period a day is also allotted for Std. V. Girls of Stds. V and VI are taught sewing. The tailoring instructor is a part time tutor and is paid Rs. 10/- per mensem and his salary at present is borne by the District Harijan Sevak Sangh, while the materials required for the classes are supplied by the Mission. The Mission understands the District Harijan Sevak Sangh may not be able to continue the grant. Moreover, the Mission finds it difficult to supply the materials required. The stoppage of grant by the District Harijan Sevak Sangh may take place at any time, compelling the Mission to close down the tailoring class. Therefore, I request you to be so good as to address Government and obtain permission for the introduction of tailoring also and to permit the Mission to defray the expenditure relating to it out of the grant sanctioned for the manual training section attached to the Court Hill Higher Elementary School in G.O. Nos. 1716 L, MS., P.W. & L., dated 6-7-1931 and 1034 L, P.W. & L., dated 29-4-1935. As there are receipts both from the carpentry and weaving sections, the Mission can manage to run the tailoring section without any additional grant. A variety in the pre-vocational subjects provided is eminently desirable. The Government may also be pleased to permit the Mission to purchase some equipment necessary for the tailoring class out of the amount provided for contingencies in the grant given for the manual training section.

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Statement of pupils receiving pre-vocational instruction.

	Carpentry		Weaving		Tailoring		Total.	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Standard VIII	4		6	1			10	1
" VII	7		10				17	
" VI	11		12		8	2	31	2
" V	11		9		6	5	26	5
Total ..							84	8

Copy of letter D.Dis.No.5914/37 dated 23-12-37 from the Collector of South Kanara, Mangalore, to the Commissioner of Labour, Madras through the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

DEPRESSED Classes - Court Hill Higher Elementary School, Mangalore - Introduction of tailoring ~~xx~~class.

I have obtained the opinions of the officers concerned. The Adviser to the Government on Manual training is not in favour of the introduction of tailoring while the District Educational Officer sees no objection to it. Copies of their letters are enclosed.

2. I myself see no objection to the introduction of the proposed tailoring class if the Mission will not ask for any financial assistance on this account in the future.

3. The letter dated 7-10-37 of the Depressed Classes Mission is herewith returned.

Copy of letter No.R.C.No.577/37-38 from the Adviser to Government on Manual Training, to the Collector of South Arcot, Mangalore.

The number of pupils, according to the statement furnished, attending the manual training classes is carpentry 33, weaving 38, and tailoring 21 - total 92. For financial reasons I do not recommend the sanctioning of three manual training classes for this number of pupils. According to the Pros C.No.1138/F/28, dated 10-10-28, of the Director of Public Instruction, the question on the subject relates to the District Educational Officer.

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The receipts from articles made in the manual training classes are deducted in the following year from the grants sanctioned for them (classes) by the Educational Department.

Letter from the Dt. Educational Officer, South Kanara, Mangalore, to the Dt. Collector South Kanara, Mangalore, Dis.No.1117/37 dated 9-12-1937.

Proposal regarding the introduction of tailoring -
Court Hill D.C.M. Higher Elementary School.

In forwarding herewith a copy of the Deputy Inspector's remarks on the subject, I have the honour to state that the proposal to introduce tailoring in addition to the instruction imparted in carpentry and weaving in the Manual Training class attached to the Court Hill D.C.M. Aided Higher Elementary School is recommended so that the pupils may have variety in the pre-vocational subjects provided in the school. Other remarks of the Dy. Inspector are endorsed.

As regards the financial aspect of the case, I have no remarks to offer as the Manual Training Class attached to the school is not receiving aid through the Educational Department nor is application for the continuance of the classes passing through this office. The classes appear to be aided by the Commissioner of Labour, Madras.

Dis. No. 1431/37 dated 30-11-37 of the Dy. Inspector of Schools, Mangalore range to the Dt. Educational Officer, South Kanara.

Court Hill Higher Ele. School, Mangalore - introduction of tailoring class - proposals - remarks requested.

Submitted to the Dt. Educational Officer, South Kanara.

The D.C.M. Higher Ele. School, Mangalore now has Manual Training classes in carpentry and weaving attached to it.

From June 1937 some of the pupils are given free vocational training in tailoring also, though prior to it tailoring was taught in the school as part of the ordinary syllabus. The expenditure on carpentry and weaving is met from out of the grant No. 1522 - for same sanctioned by the Labour Department and of

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the tailoring class from the grant of Rs.120/- per annum sanctioned by the Dt. Harijan Sevak Sangh.

The total number of pupils in standards V to VIII in the school who receive the benefit of Manual Training instruction are 74 plus 8 who are distributed as follows between carpentry, weaving and tailoring:-

	Carpentry.	Weaving.	Tailoring.	Total
V.Standard	11 plus 0	9 plus 0	6 plus 5	26 plus 5
VI "	11 plus 0	12 plus 0	8 plus 2	31 plus 2
VII "	7 plus 0	10 plus 0	..	17 plus 0
VIII "	4 plus 0	6 plus 0	0 plus 1	10 plus 1
	33	37	22	92.

In view of the increase in the strength of the school the management's request to include tailoring as a subject under manual training may kindly be favourably considered especially since a Harijan tailor is more sure of getting independent livelihood after school than a carpenter or a weaver. So far, there has been no Adi Dravida tailor to my knowledge and the pre-vocational training could encourage at least some of them to take up this paying profession.

As regards the suggestion of the Advisor to Government on Manual training that the next subject to be taken up for Manual in the school should be Agriculture, my opinion is that tailoring may be given a preference to Agriculture because:

- (i) there are no lands available near the school for demonstration plot,
- (ii) it is easier for an Adi Dravida with a small capital to set up as a tailor than as an agriculturist.

Since the management does not ask for an extra grant, the request of the Secretary of the depressed classes mission school higher elementary may favourably be considered.

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Endt. No. R.C.65 7/38 dated 25th January 1938 of
the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

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Ref: Letter D.Dis.No.5914/37 dated 23rd December 1937
from the Collector of South Kanara District
regarding Introduction of Tailoring in the Court
Mall Higher Elementary School, Mangalore.

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Forwarded.

2. I support the proposal to open the
Tailoring class.

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Depressed Classes - Court Hill
Higher Elementary School, Mangalore
Introduction of tailoring class.

To H.S.

Please see the letter
from the C. L. on H-1-2 C-F.
and the enclosures - at H-3-7 C-F.

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- In G.O. No. 1716 L. dt 6-7-31,
the Govt. accorded standing
sanction to the payment of a
grant not exceeding Rs 1000
annually to the Depressed Classes
Mission, Mangalore towards the
cost of maintaining the Carpentry
workshop attached to the Court Hill
School. In ^{Feb. 1935} October 1934, it was
reported that there was no
Carpentry workshop attached to the
school at that time, and that
Carpentry was being taught to the
students as a vocational subject.
The management therefore wanted
to introduce a weaving section
in addition, ~~and advised that~~
~~the~~ from 1938-36, and wanted ~~that~~

that the original grant of Rs 1000 should be continued and that it should be permitted to apply the grant at its discretion to Carpenter or weaver or both. In G.O. No. 1034 d. of 29-4-38, the Govt. approved the proposal subject to the condition that no additional grant was asked for on that ground.

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The management now requests sanction for the introduction of a tailoring section and requests permission for the purchase of necessary equipments from the annual grant of Rs 600 now given.

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The Collector of South Kanara and the officers of the Education Dept. support the proposal but the

Advisor to Govt. on ^{for financial reasons} manual training is not in favour of it. The

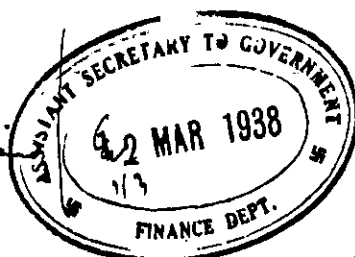
made his date on 14.5.38

Commissioner of Labour supports the proposal as no additional grant is asked for. Subd.

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that the Commission's recommendation may be accepted. A draft order is subd. It may be sent to him for acceptance.

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(Please see the note on pp. 1-2 ante)

The draft order may be accepted and the case returned to Dev.

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Approved.

READ AGAIN Go. 1716 d., dated 6-7- 1931. (2)

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READ ALSO:—

No. 1016 from the C.L. A-2, No. 5850/37, dated 9-2-1934. H 1.

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Order Ms. No. 672, dated 16-3- 1935.

The Govt. have no objection to the management of the Court Hill Higher Elementary School, Mangalore opening a tailoring class and defraying the expenses involved from the Annual grant of Rs 1000 now given to it. It should clearly be understood that no additional grant will be sanctioned on this point.

Mr. C. d. Mr. A. G. Thro' Mr. Mr. Sesh.

Approved 1/15

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